

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hagio and Tabei

APPLICATION NO.: 10/521,622

FILING OR 371(c) DATE: January 14, 2005

FOR: ELECTROPORATION METHOD INCLUDING THE USE OF  
DEPRESSURIZATION/PRESSURIZATION

EXAMINER: FERNANCEZ, S.

ART UNIT: 1651

CONF. NO: 2017

**Amendment in Response to Restriction Requirement**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2007, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.